


REMARKS

After entry of the amendment, claims 1-2, 4-8 and 10-18 remain pending. Applicants respectfully submit that the above-referenced patent application, as amended, is in condition for examination and requests such action. If any issues remain that may be resolved by telephone, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned or Sherry M. Knowles, Esq. at 404.572.3541. If the Examiner determines any additional fee is required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fee to Deposit Account 11-0980.

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